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tary of State.

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NEW YORK, TUESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1901.

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ODELL, AS GOVERNOR, WILL DEFY THE BOSS

MURDERED HER LOVER; WOMAN CONFESSES.

Mrs. Ertell Slew George Deges Because He Abused Her.

161 Washington street, Brooklyn.

them in the basement. I had no thought thirty-two years old, of 39) Bleecker him. In his anger Higgins turned of of running away.

"If any money was taken from him some one else did it. I stayed around the neighborhood until I was arrested. because he should not have been put out of the way. It was his life or mine. But I love my boy, and I am sorry for his sake that I killed this man. I care nothing for my husband or I would not have left him."

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Mrs. Ertell would say nothing of her antecedents. She said her father and mother were dead, and that she had no one that she cared for but the nine year-old boy whom she deserted when she left his father. She shows utter indifference to her fate.

Arraigned in Court.

When Mrs. Ertell was arraigned her husband and son and Mrs. Helena Deges, who claims to be the wife of the murdered man, were present in court. Mrs. Deges said that the Ertell woman had met her husband while he was doing laundry work for her.

When she discovered their intimacy Deges gave her \$200 and a ticket to Europe. She went away, but returned within a few months. He made advances to her to return to him, but she pefused unless he turned the Ertell woman off. He was willing to do this, she claimed, but the woman threatened his life.

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Ernest Ertell told a different story. He said he was a patient in the Seney Hospital when Deges met his wife at Coney Island and by threats to kill her forced her to abandon him.

After Mrs. Ertell had been committed for the Coroner she was allowed to see her husband and son in the prisoners' cage. She wept over the boy and, taking a roll of bills from her breast, thrust it into his hands. She told him to respect his father and to try to forget her. To be husband she would say nothing and refused to take his hand, saying she was unworthy of his respect. He profered to provide a lawyer for her, but she said she had means to provide her own defense.

FOUND DEAD IN CHAIR.

Mrs. Heatha Bielsel, of Brooklyn,

Dies Alone in Her Room. Mrs. Heatha Bielsel, a widow sixtyight years old, was found dead in her flat at 1134 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, by neighbors who entered the room to wish her a Happy New Year. Mrs. Bielsel had several sons and daughters, but preferred to live alone and care for herself in spite of her advanced years. the was found sitting in a chair fully dressed. Death had come to her quick-ly and without warning. Dr. Hayt, of St. Catherine's Hospital who was called, said that death was due to heart disease.

Stop that Cough due Work of the Cold. Bross-Quinles Tablets ours a cold. No man. He mp. Frice E couts



BOY MURDERED IN A SALOON FIGHT.

Callon Was Stabbed in the Heart by a Stock Exchange Messenger.

moved my skirt, saturated by the blood heart at 2.15 o'clock this morning in the brought by the first shot. I bundled the galoon of Albert Hart, at 89 Bedford things up and went downstairs and left street. His slayer, Joseph Higgins.

street, surrendered to the police. Callon was a clerk in the White Star steamship line. With his widowed moth- plunged it into his assailant's heart. er and two elsters, he had attended "Yes, I am sorry I killed him, not midnight mass in St. Joseph's Church at breast, turned and ran from the place Sixth avenue and West Eighth street. Outside the door he collided with Leaving his family at home. Callon policeman and fell dead at the officer's went to Hart's saloon. What happened feet. He was followed by Higgins, who after he arrived there is not known, as i pro

Regaining his feet, Higgins fled from Callon into the saloon. Callon followed his pursuer as he reached the lune counter and, seizing a carving knife Callon, with the knife sticking in hi feet. He was followed by Higgins, who proclaimed himself the man's stayer and

ON THE WAY.

NewYear's to Be Greeted Due to "Open" Weather by Crisp Winter Weather.

the past weeks. cold wave is now on its way here, and many years. the city will experience its first taste | Nearly every fifth man you meet seems of real Winter climate to-morrow. A fall of 10 degrees is predicted, and the thermometer may go much lower. The cold wave is on its way from the West, where it has left its mark on the mining camps and tied up many rail-

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Owing to the fact that to-day is a
holiday the local Weather Bureau has
not redelved reports from the entire
country. Reports from the northern
part of the country, however, show that
the weather is cloudy, unsettled and
snow is falling in parts of the lower lake
region and western New York. It is
generally fair in other sections.

There is a general fall of temperature
to-day except in Minnesota and South
Dakota, where a slight rise has been recorded. The zero line extends as far
east as Michigan and Illinois. The following temperatures were reported:
New York 35, Philadelphia 40, Boston
21, Abany 25, Rochester 25, Cleveland
13, Toledo 17, Chicago 4 below zero, Milmaukes 5 below zero, St. Paul zero, Rismarck 15 below zero, St. Paul zero, Rismarck 15 below zero, Williston 23 below
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WIDE SPREAD

and to the Open Streets.

The dawn of the century brought with "Open weather" first, then an open erected for the ceremonies connected it clear skies and cold winds in place city of torn-up streets for the Rapid of the inauguration. A magnificent of the unsettled weather and clouds of Transit tunnel, are responsible for the sight was presented by the teeming hu-

to have a touch of it, while many persous are seriously ill at their homes. Grip is not lightly to be dailed with, or to be put aside as something inconsequential, as some folks are apt to do for it so lowers the vitality as to mak the victim an easy prey of a variety of more deadly ills

The Health Board officials advise that if you think you have the grip begin at once vigorously to doctor yourself or may soon be speaking of you in the pas

tense.

When the weather is so capricious that New York has four seasons in a day, the local forecaster says that some one must suffer—usually through carelesness. And it would be amazing to know how many careless persons there are in Greater New York.

No Need for Auxiety.

AFRICA AGAINST ENGLAND

NEW FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA IS BORN.

Wildest Scene of Joy Ever Known in Sydney When Hopetoun Takes the Oath.

of Hopetoun was to-day sworn in as the Past." A special prayer by the Arch-first Governor-General of the Federated bishop followed.

sified by a message which Queen Victoria sent through the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, and first Federal Ministers followed. which was read by the Earl of Hope-

The Queen commands me to express hrough you to the people of Australia Her Majesty's heartfelt interest in the nauguration of the commonwealth and

inauguration of the commonwealth and her earnest wish that, under Divine Providence, it may insure increased prosperity and well-being to her loyal and beloved subjects in Australia."

Shortly after noon the procession entered the public followed, swelling the muititude that had already assembled on the hills which formed a vast amphitheatre overlooking the pavilion which had been erected for the ceremonies connected with the inauguration. A magnificent sight was presented by the teeming humanity on the surrounding eminences.

The Governor's arrival at the pavilion was announced by artillery salutes and the pealing of the Cathedral and other bells. The various Chief Justices and Cabinet officers were awaiting him, and as soon as the Earl of Hopetoun took up his position a choir of a thousand "God Save the Queen."

Her Majesty's Governoment send cordial greeting to the Commonwealth of Australia. They weckness the resulting and tenture of ever-increasing prosperity and influence.

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According to the Weather Bureau a prevalence of grip. There is more of it manity on the surrounding eminences, here at present than there has been in The Governor's arrival at the pavilion

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Jan. 1.-The Earl voices sang "O God, Our Help in Ages "

after he arrived there is not known, as the police will not admit that the place was open in violation of the excise law. It is said that more than a drunken duarrel is back of the murder. Both Higgins, who is a messenger in the Stock Exchange, says that when he reached the saloon he found Robert Tynan, of 92 Morton street, in front of the place in a confused condition. He tried to take him home, but Callon in-After his commission had been read pageantry such as never before had been the Earl of Hopetoun took the oath of office and signed it at a table which joicing of the commonwealth was inten- bands and rousing cheers re-echoing bands and rousing eners among the hills accompanied this act among the hills accompanied this act.

> The Earl of Hopetoun briefly congratu lated the members of the Cabinet and The Queen's message was followed by second message, which said:

"Her Majesty's Government send

WILL ATTACK RAMAPO.

Senator Slater to Introduce a Bill for Merchants' Association

(Special to The Evening World.)
ALBANY, Jan. 1.—Senator Samuel reporter to-day: "I shall intioduce a bill repealing the

"I shall inu oduce a bill repealing the special act incorporating the Ramapo Water Company. Also a bill permitting municipalities i to condemn land for water supply purposes.

"The detail have been practically completed by the Merchants Association of New York. Other legulation and myself as possess to push these

LINER EL MONTE IN CRASH.

Hit the Pilot-Bont Barrett Outside of Sandy Hook.

The Morgan line steamer El Monte Capt. Parker, which sailed to-day for Slater said to The Evening World | New Orleans, after passing out Sandy Hook was in collin on with the pilotboat Edward E. Barrett. The El Monte received no apparen

damage and proceeded on her voyage The pilot-boat had hir bowsprit carried away and damaged har cutwater. She was taken in low by the steam pilot-boat New York and towed to Sta-pleton, Staten Island, at 2.5 P. M.

INAUGURAL AT ALBANY A SCENE OF SPLENDOR.



FIERY DEATH IN

Dress Caught While

Cooking Dinner.

street. Brooklyn, was burned to death at

At 12.10 o'clock her skirt caught fire

from the stove. In ten seconds she was

Louis Mengener, who lives in another

ran to her aid. He threw a table-spread

She sank unconscious upon the floor,

and he an for Dr. Bell, a few doors away. When the physician reached the

Even the Pessimist

bout her and smothered the flames.

creamed with all her might.

house the woman was dead.

noon to-day while preparing the New from Pretoria;

Year's dinner in her kitchen. She was up De Wet, reports that he has captured forty years old.

enveloped in flames. She struggled fran-tically to tear off her flaming dress and ers who were taken at De Wet's laager

HER KITCHEN.

onstabulary bill would be stened! State, and he is going to be so in office. He recognizes the fact that he got thousands of inde votes, and that he owes it to the voters that he shall not be a me tool of the Republican machine."

DE WET BEING

His Horses and

Many Men.

LONDON, Jan. 1 .- Gen. Kitchener has

telegraphed to the War Office as follows

"Gen. Knox, who has oeen following

"He has released and allowed to go

"Gen. French recently captured twelve

despatch-rider bearing a letter from

Johannes Smuts was formerly private

secretary to Sir Gordon Sprigg, Gov-ernor of Cape Colony. He served on the

staff of V Division in Natal in 1899-1900.

and 6,000 rounds of azimunition.

and who were being forced to fight.

Beyers for Smuts."

CROWDS AT THE INAUGURAL

Albany Packed with Visitors to See New Governor Take His Office.

(Special to The Evening World.) ALBANY. Jan. 1.-Benjamin B. Odell. jr., was to-day made Governor of the State of New York. That is a gree honor in itself, but he has the addition distinction of being the first Governo f New York of the twentieth century. The ceremonies attending the inaugu ration of Mr. Odell were unusually en thusiastic, although they could not justly be called especially impressive. burg, the home of Mr. Odell, sent a dele-gation of over 6,000 persons, leaving the city somewhat scanty of population, and these citizens howled and cheered and made merry while the chosen Chief Magistrate was taking the oath of office. The inaugural ceremonies proper were held in the Assembly Chamber. The platform was decorated with the na-Mrs. Edward Neville's British Capture Some of tional colors and with the shields of the State and of the city of Newburg. Many ladies were on this platform, including Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Odell and members

(Continued on Second Page.)

IN CATHEDRAL'S CRYPT.

Bishop Potter Conducts Impressive

New Year Ceremony. Bishop Potter officiated in the Crypt of the Cathedral of St. John the Divi One Hundred and Thirteenth street and Cathedral Heights, in celebration

the opening of the new year and part of the house, heard her shricks and prisoners and a large quantity of carts new century and the Feast of the C cumcision of our Savior. The Crypt, which has a seating city of 600, was crowded, about 1. sons being there. The altar a

chancel were decorated with and brittantly lighted.
Bishop Potter conducted assisted by Archibishop 1 for Pro-Cathedrap and 1